(c) Domestic production of pig iron in 1991-92 is estimated at around 15.8. lakh tonnes, reflecting a gap of 3.4 lakh tonnes.

(d) No, Sir. There has been an increase in the allocation of pig iron for the small scale units in West Bengal during the year 1991-92 to 51,250 tonnes, as against 35,5000 tonnes in 1990-91.

(e) and (f). Allocations to the State Small Industries Corporations, and actual supplies, would depend on the availabilities rom the main producers during 1992-93.

Microwave System in Orissa

6238. SHRI K. PRADHANI: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether microwave telephone system has been started in Orissa specially in Koraput district;

(b) whether it is functioning properly; and

(c) the details of other places which are likely to be connected with this network in Orissa?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P. V. RANGAYYA NAIDU). (a) Yes, Sir. Radio Telephone system are functioning in Orissa including Koraput District.

(b) They are generally functioning properly at most of the places axcent a few stations is Koraput District. Action is initiated to set right at these places also.

(c) A list of the places already connected with such Radio Telephone system and places which are likely to be connected in the near future is given in statement .

STATEMENT

I. List of Stations in Orissa where Radio Telephone Systems have already been installed.

1. Titilagarh
2. Athgarh
3. Danpur
4. Rajnagar
5. Morshaghai
6. Kendrapara
7. Jaipur Road
8. Talcher
9. Bhawanipatna
10. Jatni
11. Keonjhar
12. Bhubaneswar
13. Rajgangpur
14. Bolangir
15. Berhampur
16. Balugaon
17. Khurda
18. Bhanjanagar
19. Sambalpur
20. Brajrajnagar
21. Sundargarh

22. Jagatsinghpur
23. Jaipur Town
24. Angul
25. Dhenkanal
26. Jaleswar
27. Kujang
28. Balasore
29. Cuttack
30. Rourkela

II List of Stations where Raio telephon Systems are likely to be installed in near future.

1. Jhavsuguda
2. Aska
3. Baripada
4. Bhadrak
5. Kantabanji
6. Kesinga
7 Phulbani
8. Padmapur
9. Daspalla
10. Kusupur
11. Chandabali
12. Rajnilgiri
13. Sukinda

Post and Telecom Facilities in Uttar Pradesh

6239. **SHRIMATI SHEELA GAUTAM:**
SHRI RAJVEER SINGH:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state·

(a) whether there is any proposal to provide Post and Telecommunications facilities in Villages of Uttar Pradesh under Eighth Five Year Plan;

(b) the target fixed for post offices and telephone services in each district during the plan period; and

(c) the places in the Barellly and Budaun districts of Uttar Pradesh where these facilities are proposed to be provided?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P. V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) *Post Offices:-*

Excansion of postal network is envisaged in Uttar Pradesh during the Eighth Five Year Plan It is, however not feasible to indicate district-wise targets in this respect of the 8th Five Year Plan as the Eighth Plan it self has not been finalised.

Telecommunications:-

The draft Eighth Plan proposed by Department of Telecom envisages following objectives for provision of telephone services all over the country including Uttar Pradesh Telecom Circle and its districts during the Plan period:-